# Gardenia jasminoides 'Kleim's Hardy'

(Cape Jasmine, Gardenia, Kleim's Hardy Gardenia)

Introduction



Plant Image

## **Landscape Information**

French Name: Jasmin du Cap Arabic Name: غاردينيا ياسمينية

Pronounciation: gar-DEEN-yuh jazz-min-oh-

EYE-deez

Plant Type: Shrub

Origin: China, Japan, Taiwan Heat Zones: 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 Hardiness Zones: 8, 9, 10

**Uses:** Bonsai, Specimen, Mass Planting, Container, Cut Flowers / Arrangements

## Size/Shape

**Growth Rate:** Moderate **Tree Shape:** Round

Canopy Symmetry: Symmetrical

Canopy Density: Dense
Canopy Texture: Medium
Height at Maturity: 1.5 to 3 m

**Spread at Maturity:** 1.5 to 3 meters **Time to Ultimate Height:** 5 to 10 Years

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Flower Image

## **Botanical Description**

## **Foliage**

Leaf Arrangement: Opposite Leaf Venation: Brachidodrome Leaf Persistance: Evergreen

Leaf Type: Simple
Leaf Blade: 10 - 20
Leaf Shape: Ovate
Leaf Margins: Entire
Leaf Textures: Waxy
Leaf Scent: No Fragance

Color(growing season): Green Color(changing season): Green

## **Flower**

Flower Showiness: True Flower Size Range: 3 - 7 Flower Type: Solitary

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Scent: Pleasant Flower Color: White Seasons: Spring, Winter

#### **Trunk**

Trunk Susceptibility to Breakage: Generally

resists breakage

Number of Trunks: Multi-Trunked Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy

#### Fruit

Fruit Type: Capsule
Fruit Showiness: False
Fruit Size Range: 1.5 - 3
Fruit Colors: Orange
Seasons: Spring, Winter

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Leaf Image

## **Horticulture Management**

#### Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: No Heat Tolerant: Yes Drought Tolerant: No Salt Tolerance: Poor

#### Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam, Sand

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic Water Requirements: Moderate

**Light Requirements:** Part

## Management

**Invasive Potential: No** 

Susceptibility to Pests and Diseases: No Pruning Requirement: Needed, to develop a

strong structure

Fruit/ Leaves/ Flowers litter: No

Surface Rooting: No Life Span: 25-50 years Diseases: Powdery Mildew

Edible Parts: None

Pests: Mites, Scales, Whitefly, Aphids

**Plant Propagations:** Grafting

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